

**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS
HOUSTON DIVISION**

In re: VANGUARD NATURAL RESOURCES, LLC, <i>et al.</i> , ¹ <div style="text-align: right;">Debtors.</div>	§ § § § § § §	Chapter 11 Case No. 17-30560 (Jointly Administered)
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**NOTICE OF OCCURRENCE OF EFFECTIVE DATE OF DEBTORS’
SECOND AMENDED JOINT PLAN OF REORGANIZATION UNDER CHAPTER 11
OF THE BANKRUPTCY CODE**

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that, on July 18, 2017, the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Texas entered the *Order Confirming Debtors’ Modified Second Amended Joint Plan of Reorganization under Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code* [Docket No. 1109] (the “Confirmation Order”). The Confirmation Order confirmed the *Second Amended Joint Plan of Reorganization of Vanguard Natural Resources, LLC, et al., Pursuant to Chapter 11 of the Bankruptcy Code* ((as it has been amended, modified and supplemented, the “Plan”).²

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that on August 1, 2017, the Effective Date of the Plan occurred and the Plan was substantially consummated.

¹ The Debtors in these chapter 11 cases, along with the last four digits of each Debtor’s federal tax identification number, are: Vanguard Natural Resources, LLC (1161); Eagle Rock Acquisition Partnership, L.P. (6706); Eagle Rock Acquisition Partnership II, L.P. (0903); Eagle Rock Energy Acquisition Co., Inc. (4564); Eagle Rock Energy Acquisition Co. II, Inc. (3364); Eagle Rock Upstream Development Company, Inc. (0113); Eagle Rock Upstream Development Company II, Inc. (7453); Encore Clear Fork Pipeline LLC (2032); Escambia Asset Co. LLC (3869); Escambia Operating Co. LLC (2000); Vanguard Natural Gas, LLC (1004); Vanguard Operating, LLC (9331); VNR Finance Corp. (1494); and VNR Holdings, LLC (6371). The location of the Debtors’ service address is: 5847 San Felipe, Suite 3000, Houston, Texas 77057.

² Capitalized terms used but not defined herein have the meanings given to them in the Plan or the Confirmation Order, as applicable.

Dated: August 1, 2017

Respectfully Submitted,

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Certificate of Service

I certify that on August 1, 2017, I caused a copy of the foregoing document to be served by the Electronic Case Filing System for the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Texas. Additionally, I have caused Prime Clerk, LLC, the Debtors' Claims and Noticing Agent, to serve the foregoing document on all parties in interest.

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